AMENDMENT

Kindly amend the application, without prejudice, without admission, without surrender of subject matter, and without any intention of creating any estoppel as to equivalents as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Kindly amend the specification, without prejudice, without admission, without surrender of subject matter, and without any intention of creating any estoppel as to equivalents as follows:

Kindly replace the previously filed sequence listing with the enclosed papers entitled --sequence listing--.

Please delete the paragraph on page 31, line 19, and replace it with the following paragraph:

FIG. 1 is the amino acid sequence of the WNV-288-301 fragment **(SEQ ID NO: 13)**, (peptide 1).

Please delete the paragraph on page 31, line 20, and replace it with the following paragraph:

FIG. 2 is the amino acid sequence of the random 288-301 fragment **(SEQ ID NO: 14)**, (peptide 2).

Please delete the paragraph on page 31, line 21, and replace it with the following paragraph:

FIG. 3 is the amino acid sequence of the WNV-121-139 peptide **(SEQ ID NO: 15)**, (peptide 3).

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